IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

ANDREW LEE FLOWERS JR.,

Plaintiff,

No. 1:19-cv-06423

v.

WEXFORD HEALTH SOURCES, INC.;
PATRICIA BURKE, M.D., sued in her individual capacity; CLAUDE OWIKOTI, sued in his individual capacity; MICHAEL RUSSELL, O.D., sued in his individual capacity; KRISTA HYATT-TORRES, sued in her individual capacity; DEBORAH MCCALLUM, sued in her individual capacity; and JOHN DOES, currently unknown employees of the Illinois Department of Corrections or Wexford Health Sources, Inc.,

Honorable Robert W. Gettleman

Defendant.

STATUS REPORT CONCERNING PROGRESS IN DISCOVERY

Pursuant to the Court's order setting a schedule in this case, the parties hereby submit an updated status report concerning the progress of discovery. (Dkt. #68.) The parties served written discovery on June 15 and 16, 2020 and agreed to extend the response dates until August 15 or 16, 2020, respectively.

The parties have briefed their dispute regarding a HIPAA protective order before Judge Gilbert. (Dkt. #56, #66 and #70). In order to expedite proceedings, the parties are agreeing to permit plaintiff's HIPAA protected material to be produced on an outside-counsel-eyes only basis until Judge Gilbert rules on the HIPAA protective order.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on August 5, 2020, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing to be electronically served on counsel of record via the Court's CM/ECF system.

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